

25, WILTON PLACE.
London S.W.

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My dear son,

I have just received your
note with the second bill of Exchange
and desiring me to send by post a
copy of Gen. St. v. 11. post 2. Hapert's
I cannot comply with the latter request
for with the lighted wrapper I can
put on it it outweighs the 2 lbs to
which the post is limited - I am
leaving town for two or three weeks
but I leave the post with the Red
people to forward to you if they
should be sending anything else -
if not I wait your further instructions
I received yesterday the Californian

volume and wrote immediately to
Mr Whitney to acknowledge it &
have been looking over it and am
very much pleased with it. It is
a comfort to see a systematic work
upon which one can place so thoroughly
a reliance as to the scientific matter
so very well got up as well as to
method and form as to typography
execution and I only hope it will be
generally taken as a model flora.
I could only wish the paper were
not quite so thick and heavy - but
that is the case with most of your
American scientific books.

Yours very sincerely
George Donnell